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DATE: December 12, 2009

TIME: 9:30A – 2:30PM

SESSION TOPICS:

Session 1: South Carolina and the American Revolutionary War

Session 2: Gin by Numbers: South Carolina and the Great Changeover, 1790-1810

Session 3: The impact of the Lewis and Clark Expedition

STANDARDS TO COVER:

3-3.2 Summarize the key conflicts and key leaders of the American Revolution in South Carolina and their effects on the state, including the occupation of Charleston by the British; the partisan warfare of Thomas Sumter, Andrew Pickens, and Francis Marion; and the battles of Cowpens and Kings Mountain. (H, P, G)

3-4.2 Summarize the institution of slavery prior to the Civil War, including reference to conditions in South Carolina, the invention of the cotton gin, subsequent expansion of slavery, and economic dependence on slavery. (H, E, P)

4-3.4 Summarize the events and key battles of the Revolutionary War, including Lexington and Concord, Bunker (Breed's) Hill, Charleston, Saratoga, Cowpens, and Yorktown. (G, H)

4-5.1 Summarize the major expeditions and explorations that played a role in westward expansion—including those of Daniel Boone, Lewis and Clark, and Zebulon Pike—and compare the geographic features of areas explored. (G, H)

8-2.2 Summarize the course and key conflicts of the American Revolution in South Carolina and its effects on the state, including the attacks on Charleston; the Battle of Camden; the partisan warfare of Thomas Sumter, Andrew Pickens, and Francis Marion; the Battle of Cowpens; and the Battle of Kings Mountain. (H, G)

8-3.1 Explain the importance of agriculture in antebellum South Carolina including plantation life, slavery, and the impact of the cotton gin. (H, G, E)

Sponsoring Organization(s): SCCAAS, SCDAH & SCSU

TAH – Year 2 Topic: Revolution and Expansion, 1754-1861

Objectives: At the conclusion of the sessions, the participants will be able to:

1. Analyze the military aspects of the revolutionary period in South Carolina
2. Understand the impact of the cotton gin on the institution of slavery and subsequent history of the United States
3. Analyze the impact of the Lewis and Clark expedition on subsequent American history

Session Agenda:

- Overview of South Carolina curriculum standards associated with the period-1776-1810
- Content lecture and discussion addressing above standards
- Hands-on review of selected primary source documents from the period 1775-1810

Session Outcome: The participants will be able to understand the complex nature of the American Revolutionary War in South Carolina; analyze the impact of the cotton gin on slavery's retention; and understand the importance of the Lewis and Clark expedition on the United States growth as well as its implication for Native Americans.